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Correction Of Errors In Small Entity Status

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Correction of an error in small entity status under 37 CFR 1.28(c) is hereby requested.

While Excelentec qualified as a small entity, Excelentec licensed the technology to a large entity in an agreement dated September 12, 2001.

It was not appreciated that the licensing created "large entity" status which resulted in a loss of entitlement to small entity status.

The error was realized when a maintenance fee was paid as a large entity and the Patent Office notified my office of the discrepancy (i.e. prior status as a "small entity").

The issue fee was paid as a small entity in good faith.

The deficiency payment is calculated as follows:

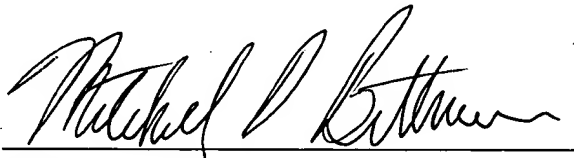
The fees paid under "small entity" status:

Issue Fee Payment (paid 8/4/04):	\$ 665.00
Current Issue Fee:	\$1440.00
Total deficiency payment due:	\$1440 - \$665.00 = <u>\$ 785.00</u>

A check of \$785.00 to the Commissioner of Patents is enclosed to cover the deficiency payment.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4970.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Mitchell D. Bittman", written over a horizontal line.

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